

Bastrop, Bastrop, County, Texas

To His Hon^r: W. Bledsoe; State Comptroller

Dear Sir I see an Act passed by the
Last Legislature Entitled an Act granting
A pension to the Veterans who assisted in
the Separation of Texas from Mexico passed
August 13th 1846: and Believing that I come
under the provision, of Said Act, I therefore
make this my Application to your Hon^r for
A pension Warrent

John D. Morgan

Personally appeared before me John Morgan
who upon oath says that he was a member
of Capt: William: Eastland Company in the
Mex Campaign of 1842: I think the Battle was fought
on Christmas eve, and I was made prisoner
on Christmas day about four o'clock there
was about two hundred Texans against four
thousand Mexicans we fought about 18 or
20 hours then Col. Fisher surrendered the
to Genl. Ampudia there was about 22
kill and wounded of the Texas boys and
Seven hundred of the Mexicans: Will^m Jones
of Houston City was the first man kill on
our side. I was a prisoner Eight months
then made my escape from the City
of Mexico: I was three months on my way
from the City of Mexico until I reach
the town of Bastrop Texas: I was nine months
a prisoner before the Mex Campaign taken
on what is called the Gantpa Campaign. Served
in the Texas Service from the year 1836
until the year 1843. I am 52 years old